

Amendment to the Specification

Replace the Title of the Invention with:

INTERCHANGEABLE HANDBAG SYSTEM

Replace Paragraph 0024 with:

The side panels 56, 58 are partially open and include rectangle reinforcement ~~strips 70, 72~~ strip 70 on the side seam that echo the shape of the zipper pull of the inner bag. A second rectangle reinforcement strip similar to strip 70 is attached on the side panel 58. The openings on the side panels allow ease of use of the zipper pull 28 of the inner bag, provide ease of entry and removal of the inner bag relative to the outer cover as well as providing distinctive styling of the handbag system. The partial openings on the side panels and along the top portion of the outer cover also provide ease of access into the inner handbag as well. Stitching 74 at strategic points on the outer cover provide reinforcement strength as well as additional styling to the outer cover.